Brown, Katherine

From: Brown, Katherine

Sent: Friday, April 12, 2013 12:50 PM

To: Godsey, Cindi

Cc: Fordham, Tami; Shaw, Hanh **Subject:** FYI: FW: Permitting 101 Hot Topic

Sorry I forgot to cc folks. I thought the training went very well.

From: Brown, Katherine

Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2013 2:57 PM

To: Thomas, Sally

Subject: RE: Hot Topic Thursday!

For the ETPA Director:

Cook Inlet General Permits for Oil & Gas Exploration

Permitting 101 Training for Cook Inlet Tribes

OW Permit Writer Cindi Godsey presented a "Permitting 101 Training" for representatives of Cook Inlet tribes April 10. Katherine Brown facilitated and ADEC Permit Writer Gerry Brown and Tribal Liaison Miriah Twitchell assisted. 11 representatives of 7 Cook Inlet tribes participated. Topics and questions of interest included: EPA's Effluent Limitation Guidelines/ zero discharge exemption for Cook Inlet and technology based effluent limitations; AK State Water Quality Standards and water quality based effluent limitations; the Ocean Discharge Criteria Evaluation, determinations of unreasonable degradation, human health impacts, and fish consumption; observations of fish deformities, ESA/Beluga whale considerations, TEK, and the Biological Evaluation that has yet to be released; and AK's tribal coordination policy and permit appeal procedures.

From: Thomas, Sally

Sent: Thursday, April 11, 2013 7:57 AM

To: R10-Tribal Coordinators **Subject:** Hot Topic Thursday!

You know the dance steps!

Please forward to me by 3pm PDT.

Thank you-

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